

**DATE:** October 12, 2016

**TO:** Washington State Board of Health Members

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Chair

**SUBJECT:** UPDATE: GOVERNOR'S DIRECTIVE 16-06 ASSISTING COMMUNITY

AND AGENCY RESPONSES TO LEAD-- DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

RECOMMENDATIONS

## **Background and Summary:**

Governor Jay Inslee issued Directive 16-06 Assisting Community and Agency Responses to Lead in Water Systems on May 2, 2016. The Department of Health convened a number of workgroups to respond to the Directive. The Directive focused on addressing lead in the following areas:

- School rules
- Rental properties
- Child care settings
- Child blood lead monitoring and investigations
- Blood lead screening and case management
- Group A drinking water system service lines
- Federal assistance for Group A water systems

At its August meeting, Board staff provided an update as it related to the school rule portion of the Directive. Today, Kelly Cooper and Lauren Jenks, Department of Health staff, will share the final workgroup recommendations that the Department plans to submit to the Governor later this month.

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